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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON.—F. ALGAR, 11 & 12, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street, E. C. GEORGE STUART & Co., 80, Cornhill. GORDON & GOTCH, Leadenhall Street, E.O. BATES, HENRY & CO., 4, Old Jewry, E.C. SAMUEL DRAON & Co., 150 & 152, Leadenhall Street.

PARIS AND EUROPE.—LEON DE RONVEY, 19, Rue Monceau, Paris.

NEW YORK.—ANDREW WIND, 188, Nassau Street.

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Banks.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION.
(Incorporated by Royal Charter.)

PAID-UP CAPITAL.....\$1,500,000.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DEPOSITS.

At 3 months' notice 3½ per Annum.

" 6 " " 4% "

" 12 " " 5% "

Current Accounts kept on Terms which may be learnt on application.

GEORGE O. SCOTT,
Acting Manager.

Oriental Bank Corporation,
Hongkong, September 4, 1878.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

MR. JOHANN NICOLAUS GOOS.
MANN is authorized to sign Bills of Lading in our Name.

MELCHERS & Co.

Hongkong, November 29, 1880. de23

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned will sell by Public Auction, at their Sales Room, on

THURSDAY NEXT,

the 23rd Instant, at 2 p.m.—

VALUABLE JEWELLERY.—

Diamond Rings, Gold Watches and Chains, suitable for Christmas Presents.

Fancy Gilt Ornaments and Clocks,

Opera Glasses, Electro-plated Ware,

Bohemian and Crystal Vases, Woollen

and Silk Blankets, Velvet and Hearth

Rugs, Richmond Cigarettes in Boxes.

TERMS OF SALE.—As customary.

ECA DA SILVA & Co.,

Auctioneers.

Hongkong, Dec. 21, 1880. de23

NIGHT AUCTION!

CHRISTMAS 1880.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to sell by Public Auction, on

THURSDAY,

the 23rd December, at 8 o'clock p.m., at Messrs Ross & Co.'s Premises,

Queen's Road,

(Without Reserve),

A Large Selection of TOYS and FANCY ARTICLES, suitable for CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

Also,

A Quantity of DRESS GOODS,

Etc., Etc., Etc.

SURPLUS STOCK.

TERMS.—Cash on delivery.

G. R. LAMMERT,

Auctioneer.

Hongkong, Dec. 20, 1880. de23

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from H. M. Naval Storekeeper to sell by Public Auction, on

TUESDAY,

the 28th Dec., 1880, at Noon, at H. M. Naval Yard,—

OLD SUNDRY Condemned Naval Victualling, Transport and Medical STORES, comprising—

Old Iron, Iron Nails, Hoses, Airing

Stoves, Lenses, Tent Poles, Canvas Bags,

Old Glass, Lignum Vitæ, Chocolate,

Biscuit Dust, Cook's Fat, Clothing and Implements.

TWO 60-Horse-Power BOILERS

(New), at Kowloon.

Also,

TERMS OF SALE.—As customary.

J. M. ARMSTRONG,

Government Auctioneer.

Hongkong, Dec. 16, 1880. de23

For Sale.

JOHN NOBLE,

8, Queen's Road, Hongkong.

HAS just RECEIVED a Very Fine

SELECTION of

GOLD & SILVER JEWELLERY

in the Latest and most Fashionable Designs,

including many NOVELTIES in

DIAMOND BRACELETS, PENDANTS,

BROOCHES, BAR-RINGS, and

GEM RINGS.

Also,

A Large and Well Selected STOCK of

MORDE'S Gold and Silver PEN and

PENNOL CASES, comprising the Latest

Patented Patterns.

Hongkong, December 11, 1880.

FOR SALE

MULLINE FRIEND'S CELEBRATED

OLD B.B.A.N.D.Y.,

in Cases of 1 dozen Qts.

Apply to

HESSE & Co.,

Side Agents.

Hongkong, Sept. 1, 1880. de23

FOR SALE

JULES MUMM & Co.,

CHAMPAIGNE,

Quarts.....\$18 per 1 doz. Cases.

" 12 " " 17 per 2 doz."

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, February 2, 1880.

For Sale.

CHRISTMAS 1880.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

TABLE DELICACIES AND FANCY ARTICLES,
SUITABLE FOR PRESENTS.

OUR STOCK for the PRESENT SEASON is now Complete and Ready for Inspection, comprising—
PLUM PUDDINGS, MINCEMEAT, CHRISTMAS CAKES, BISCUITS, FRUITS in SYRUP, NOYEAU and BRANDY, IMPERIAL PLUMS, FRESH MUSCATES, SMYRNA FIGS, CRYSTALLIZED FRUITS, JORDAN ALMONDS, CURRANTS, &c., &c.

PATE DE FOIE GRAS, OX-TONGUES in JELLY, SPICED, SMOKED and COLLARED, GALANTINE of GAME, RUSSIAN CAVIARE, HAM and CHICKEN PATE, &c., &c.

PRIME STILTON CHEESE and YORK HAMS.

D R A G É E S.

FANCY CHOCOLATES AND SWEETS.

All the Latest COSAQUES, viz.—City of London; Sisters', Cousins' and Aunts'; The Emperor; The Surprise; Magic Sun Flower; The Caricature; Our Favorite Poets; 19th Century; Children's Calico Ball; Baskets with Holly Magic, &c.; Magic Flowers, &c., &c.

TOYS in Endless Variety.

PARLOUR CURLING POND—THE NEW GAME.

PHOTO FRAMES, ALBUMS, COROMANDEL INKSTANDS, DRESSING CASES, WORK BASKETS, GLOVE and HANDKERCHIEF BOXES, NEW PLUSH BAGS, SCENT CASES, CARD CASES, BLOTTERS, BRONZED CARD STAND, LIQUEUR STANDS, TOILET MIRRORS, CIGAR CASES, &c., &c.

CHRISTMAS and BIRTHDAY CARDS, GIFT BOOKS.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, December 1, 1880. ja1

KELLY & WALSH

HAVE just Received a Quantity of Very ELEGANT PHOTOGRAPH FRAMES, Illuminated PHOTOGRAPH ALBUMS, and CASES.

Olive Wood WRITING CASES and OTHER GOODS.

Patent Everlasting PENS.

A New Assortment of CHRISTMAS CARDS.

New Fine ART GOODS.

A Large Variety of CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

New Illustrated Edition "Camoo's."

Read's "Japan," beautifully Illustrated. Miss Bird's "Japan," beautifully Illustrated. McGrath's "Pictures from Ireland." Dalziel's "British Dogs." Fowler's "Locks."

New MENU and NAME CARDS.

"Notes on Game and Game Shooting."

LETTS' DIARIES and DATE BLOCKS.

BEZIQUE SETS and SOUP BOOKS.

CIGAR and CIGARETTE CASES, MEERCHAUM PIPES, &c.

"Picture from German Fatherland."

Frank's "Japanese Pottery."

Fox's "Navies of the World."

Hamerton's "Eating and Etching."

"Hand-book of Architectural Styles."

HORSES and RODS.

Ladies' and Children's BOOTS and SHOES.

Hendrie's and Atkinson's PERFUMERY.

FRENCH, ENGLISH, and GERMAN,

TOYS

FEEDING DOLLS, ROCKING HORSES, VELOCIPEDES HORSES, COSAQUES, TREE ORNAMENTS.

CHRISTMAS and NEW YEAR CARDS.

BRONZE and TERRA COTTA STATUES.

ALBUMS, BOOKS, MUSICAL BOXES, LADIES' COMPANIONS, BAGS, BASKETS, &c., &c.

Hongkong, December 8, 1880. ja1

To Let.

NO. MARINA Lot No. 65, FIRST-CLASS GRANIT GODOWN.

Apply to MEYER & Co.

Hongkong, July 25, 1870.

COAL GODOWN.—TO LET.

BURROWS' GODOWN, Nos. 43, 56, 60, & 64, MARINA ROAD; with Private WHARF.

The GODOWNS, Nos. 111, 111a and 113, WANGEL ROAD.

Apply to SLEEMSEN & Co.

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Intimations.

THIS HAIR WASH has been prepared by us for the last 20 years. Its sale is steadily increasing in India, the Straits and Japan. It possesses all the qualities of a Hair Oil. Poured without their stickiness, it induces a healthy action of the scalp and nourishes the Hair. Dandruff never appears whilst it is in use. It contains none but the best ingredients, and the greatest care is taken in the compound. When the Hair falls off after fever or any other sickness, this Wash will surely prove of the greatest value.



Intimations.

CARD.
MR. A. HABIN'S DANCING CLASSES have been re-opened on the 1st October. •
Fisher's Buildings,
No. 6, Queen's Road East.
Hongkong, October 4, 1880.

DYNAMITE, FUSES, DETONATORS, &c.

FROM NOBEL'S EXPLOSIVES CO., LIMITED, GLASGOW, can be had in any quantity or application to THE BORNCO CO., LTD., Agents. Hongkong, March 8, 1880. 8mrs1

NEWS FOR HOME.

The Overland China Mail.
(The oldest Overland Paper in China.)

PUBLISHED AT THE "CHINA MAIL" OFFICE IN TIME FOR THE ENGLISH MAIL.

Containing from 72 to 84 columns of closely printed matter.

THIS Mail Summary is compiled from the Daily China Mail, is published twice a month on the morning of the English Mail's departure, and is a record of each fortnight's current history of events in China and Japan, contributed in original reports and collated from the journals published at the various ports in those Countries.

It contains Shipping news from Shanghai, Hongkong, Canton, &c., and a complete Commercial Summary.

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PREPARED ONLY BY J. LLEWELLYN & CO., Chemists, &c., SHANGHAI.

DIRECTIONS.

A small portion to be poured upon the Head, and to be rubbed into the roots of the Hair.

No Pomade required.

On CONSIGNEES OF CARGO, by the above Vessel are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after FRIDAY, the 21st instant, will be landed and stored at Consignee's expense and risk.

No Fire Insurance will be effected.

MITSUBISHI MAIL S. S. CO., 50, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong, December 20, 1880. de23

OCCIDENTAL & ORIENTAL S. S. COMPANY.

NOTICE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo per Steamship OCEANIC, from San Francisco, &c., are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer will be landed and stored at Consignee's risk and expense.

C. U. HASWELL, Jr., Agent, Hongkong, December 17, 1880. de24

FRENCH COCHIN-CHINA.

PUBLIC ADJUDICATION.

FARMS FOR RICE-SPRITS AND OPUM.

FROM JANUARY 1, 1882, TO DECEMBER 31, 1884.

ON the 20th day of January, 1881, at 8 o'clock a.m., will take place, in the Ordinary Hall, of Adjudication of the Director of the Interior at Saigon, the Adjudication with reference to the sealed Tenders for the Farm of RICE-SPRITS and OPUM, for the Term of THREE YEARS, commencing on the 1st of January, 1882, and ending on the 31st December, 1884.

The Conditions of the Contract are deposited with the Direction of the Interior at Saigon; at the Mairis at Cholon; at the Chief Residence of each of the Districts of the Colony (Bureau de l'Administration); at the Bureau du Représentant du protocorat français, at Phnom-penh; and at the French Consulates of Bangkok, Batavia, Singapore, Hongkong, and Shanghai.

COCHIN-CHINE FRANCAISE.

ADJUDICATION PUBLIQUE.

FERMES DES ALCOOLS DE RIZ ET DE L'OPUM DU 1ER JANVIER 1882 AU 31 DECEMBRE 1884.

LE vingt-un (20) janvier 1881, à huit heures du matin, il sera procédé, dans la salle ordinaire de adjudication de la Direction de l'Intérieur à Saigon, à l'adjudication, sur soumissionnages cachetées, des fermes des alcools de riz et de l'opium pour une durée de trois années, commençant le 1er janvier 1882 et prenant fin le 31 décembre 1884.

Les cahiers des charges, relatifs à ces fermes, sont déposés à Saigon (Direction de l'Intérieur); à Cholon (mairie); au chef-lieu de chacun des arrondissements de la colonie (bureau de l'Administration); à Phnom-penh (bureau du Représentant du protocorat français), et aux consuls français de Bangkok, de Batavia, de Singapore, de Hongkong et de Shanghai.

THE INTERNATIONAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED, OF LIVERPOOL.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Company, are prepared to grant POLICIES ON MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & CO., Hongkong, Nov. 27, 1880. 27mrs1

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies according to the extent to \$45,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein, at current local rates, subject to a Discount of 20% on the Premium.

NORTON & CO., Agents, Hongkong, January 1, 1881.

Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour:—

ANNIE S. HALL, American barkentine, Captain O. H. Nelson.—Wicks & Co.

CATHARINE, German brig, Captain A. Bulling.—Arnhold, Karberg & Co.

OSIVALE, German barque, Capt. Nissen.—Siemsen & Co.

URANIA, German ship, Capt. R. Molson.—P. & O. Co.

FLORENCE NIGHTINGALE, Br. barge, Capt. A. Molony.—Arnhold, Karberg & Co.

Entertainment.

THEATRE ROYAL.

CITY HALL, HONGKONG.

SIGNOR GAGLI'S New and Much Augmented ITALIAN OPERA COMPANY.

THIS EVENING,

22nd December, 1880.

Last Night of the Opera in Hongkong.

SIXTH SUBSCRIPTION NIGHT.

"Il Barbiere di Siviglia."

Seats may be secured and Tickets obtained at Messrs KELLY & WALSH'S, Hongkong, December 22, 1880. de23

NOTICE.

TO-MORROW,

the 23rd December, at 3 o'clock p.m., at Messrs MEYER & CO.'s Godowns, Wanchi.

(For account of whom it may concern.)

EDMUND GREEN, for Saigon.

ROBERTS, for New York.

EDWARD, for Shanghai.

FOKIN, for Coast Ports.

ARRIVED.

EDWARD, for Saigon.

ROBERTS, for New York.

EDWARD, for Shanghai.

FOKIN, for Coast Ports.

DEPARTED.

PER AMERICA, for Saigon, 16 Chinese.

FOR SINGAPORE,

18th December, 1880.

Per Huai Yuen, from Shanghai, Capt. Biase, Capt. Warwick, Messrs Siemsen and Anderson, and 185 Chinese.

PER SINGAPORE,

18th December, 1880.

Per Solfedra, from Manila, Mr Jorge Ludwig, Miss Elvira Michel, and Mr William Fressler.

PER SINGAPORE,

18th December, 1880.

Per Astor, from Liverpool, Mr Langley, and 538 Chinese.

PER SINGAPORE,

18th December, 1880.

Per Astor, from Bombay, &c., 27 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

FOR SHANGHAI.

The Steamship "Amy,"

Captain G. B. DREWERY,

will be despatched on FRIDAY,

the 23rd Inst., at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

SIEMSEN & CO.,

Hongkong, December 22, 1880. de23

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY.

Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for CHFOO, NEWCHUNG, TIEN-TSIN, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTZE.

THEOPHILE ROEDERER,

VERZENY DRY MOUSSEUX.

(More or less damaged.)

TERMS.—Cash on delivery.

G. R. LAMMERT,

Auctioneer.

Hongkong, Dec. 22, 1880. de23

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S. S. "SUMIDA MARU," FROM KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo, by the above Vessel are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge or

remaining on board after FRIDAY,

the 21st instant, will be landed and stored at Consignee's expense and risk.

No Fire Insurance will be effected.

MITSUBISHI MAIL S. S. CO., 50, Queen's Road Central, Hongkong, December 20, 1880. de23

NOTICE.

FOR MANILA VIA AMOY.

The Spanish Steamer "Eleanor" will be despatched on FRIDAY,

the 24th instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWINEY,

Agents.

Hongkong, December 22, 1880. de24

NOTICE.

FOR SHANGHAI VIA AMOY.

The Spanish Steamer "Eleanor" will be despatched on FRIDAY,

the 24th instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

REMEDIOS & CO.,

Hongkong, December 22, 1880. de24

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FOR SINAPORE, PORT DARWIN, COOKTOWN, SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

Calling at TOWNSVILLE & BRISBANE, if sufficient passengers offer, and taking cargo and passengers for all Australian and New Zealand Ports.

The Co.'s Steamship "Nestor,"

Capt. R. JAGO, will be

despatched on FRIDAY,

the 24th instant, at 12 m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWINEY,

Agents.

Hongkong, December 22, 1880. de24

NOTICE.

FOR SHANGHAI.

The Spanish Steamer "Nestor,"

Capt. R. JAGO, will be

despatched on FRIDAY,

the 24th instant, at 12 m.

THE CHINA MAIL.

2405 and 2441 (produced) and the Captain wished a course to be marked to pass to the west of Okesima Islet and distant from the reef of the South about 4 miles. This I have not written in the statement I have prepared to give in, but I should like to say that I did not recommend the course recommended; that he should work inside between Yen-tso and Okesima Islets the same as it was worked by the Admiral on his chart; but afterwards we both agreed, the Captain and I, that we should take the same course as we took last year. This I did (that is, I laid down the course); we were both in the chart house and had a consideration about tides, time of making the Islet, &c. The course laid down was N. by W. & W. and was given by the Captain to the Watch Lieutenant, and the ship was kept it. He then took the chart 2405 down to show the Admiral the course for the night, and I showed the officer of the watch the position of the ship on Chart No. 2441 and saw him enter the bearings and the distance in the dead log. The night was remarkably light and clear. At 10 p.m. the padding was set and reported over, and at this time I saw that the sugar boat had been cast out at Koxima Islet, verifying the accuracy of the ship's position. About a quarter past ten the sentry brought the chart which the Captain had taken away to show the Admiral, with his night order book, to the chart house; and there, the two charts, produced, were left there for the guidance of the Officers of the watch, also the sailing directions. I left orders with the quartermaster that I was to be called at 2 a.m. From the time of altering the course to N. by W. & W. we had the run to be made before sighting or passing off the reef of Okesima, which with the speed of six knots, I calculated we should have accomplished at about 5.45 a.m. During the evening quarters I showed the navigating acting sub-lieutenant on the chart house the position of the ship and crew in relation to the ship and desired him to lay it up at 4 a.m. which was his custom, and keep a good look out for land and let me know at once when it was seen, so I had been on deck since 5 p.m. and should remain up till nearly midnight. I also showed him what island we expected to make, and he made himself conversant with it all. It was nearly eleven o'clock when I went below. At 2 a.m. the quarter-master called me and told me to go and ask the officer of the watch to allow him to take a deep sea sounding because the Captain had previously arranged that such should be done. When he returned he told me, "No bottom at 118 fathoms," and I directed him to call Capt. Clarke. Captain Cleveland has been working at the helm, which has been his custom for several occasions. I have full confidence in him.

To Capt. Cleveland:—To Capt. Cleveland—After the Iron Duke grounded were you from your own personal observation satisfied with the organization, discipline and exertions of the officers and crew in relation to the safety of the ship? The Court is cleared for the consideration of the question, and on re-opening the decision was read that although Capt. Cleveland was not legally entitled to call the Admiral now, not having cross-examined him, and not having summoned him to-day, still the Court had no objection to his calling the Commander-in-Chief, and questioning him on any points set forth in the defence.

Vice-Admiral Coote:—To Capt. Cleveland—Whilst your flag had been flying in the Iron Duke did you ever allow me space myself whenever duty required me?—Quite the contrary. Whenever Capt. Cleveland has been unwilling I requested him to take rest. His answer to me has been, "As long as an officer can work he should work."

Witness (voluntarily): I should like to say something with regard to Capt. Cleveland's character if he wishes it.

The Court:—Certainly.

Witness: I have known Capt. Cleveland many years. I have watched his professional career which has been most creditable to him and most beneficial to the service. During our closer connection of the last two years I have had no reason to change that opinion.

To Comdr. James:—I have known Staff Comdr. James during the period my flag has been flying in the Iron Duke. Whilst he has been flying in the Iron Duke, he has been a careful, correct navigator and pilot. It is in any point more than another, if it is not in having an eye for the land, which has been his custom for several occasions. I have full confidence in him.

To Lieut. Clarke:—Mr. Clarke is a very correct, painstaking officer, generally a good officer of the watch. From ill-health or some other cause he is nervous and wants to be on deck.

The Court:—Reprimanded.

The third prisoner, who admitted three previous convictions for felony since 1867, and two summary cases at the Police Court, was also sentenced to five years penal servitude for five years.

The fourth prisoner, who admitted three previous convictions for felony since 1867, and two summary cases at the Police Court, was also sentenced to five years penal servitude for three years.

The fifth prisoner had only one previous conviction proved against him, at the Police Court, and was sentenced to penal servitude for six months with hard labour, and to be exposed in the stocks for two hours at the time of the offence.

Defendant now said that he was standing on the wharf and by accident dropped \$2 into the water and went into the water to look for the money, but failing to find it, wished to die.

The case was remanded till Friday, the 24th inst.

LAWCOURT.

In Avail, 23, coolie, was convicted of stealing a pistol and a pair of truncheons from Wong Aloy, a needlewoman, on the 21st inst.

Defendant admitted a previous conviction, and was sentenced to be imprisoned for six months with hard labour, and to be exposed in the stocks for two hours at the time of the offence.

The King returned a unanimous verdict of guilty.

The first prisoner admitted one previous conviction for felony and one summary conviction at the Police Court, and was now sentenced by His Lordship, and was remanded for five years.

The second prisoner, who admitted three previous convictions for felony since 1867, and two summary cases at the Police Court, was also sentenced to five years penal servitude for five years.

The third prisoner had only one previous conviction proved against him, at the Police Court, and was sentenced to penal servitude for six months with hard labour, and to be exposed in the stocks for two hours at the time of the offence.

The fourth prisoner had only one previous conviction proved against him, at the Police Court, and was sentenced to five years penal servitude for three years.

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The eleventh prisoner had only one previous conviction proved against him, at the Police Court, and was sentenced to five years penal servitude for three years.

The twelfth prisoner had only one previous conviction proved against him, at the Police Court, and was sentenced to five years penal servitude for three years.

The thirteenth prisoner had only one previous conviction proved against him, at the Police Court, and was sentenced to five years penal servitude for three years.

The fourteenth prisoner had only one previous conviction proved against him, at the Police Court, and was sentenced to five years penal servitude for three years.

The fifteenth prisoner had only one previous conviction proved against him, at the Police Court, and was sentenced to five years penal servitude for three years.

The sixteenth prisoner had only one previous conviction proved against him, at the Police Court, and was sentenced to five years penal servitude for three years.

The seventeenth prisoner had only one previous conviction proved against him, at the Police Court, and was sentenced to five years penal servitude for three years.

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The twentieth prisoner had only one previous conviction proved against him, at the Police Court, and was sentenced to five years penal servitude for three years.

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The twenty-seventh prisoner had only one previous conviction proved against him, at the Police Court, and was sentenced to five years penal servitude for three years.

The twenty-eighth prisoner had only one previous conviction proved against him, at the Police Court, and was sentenced to five years penal servitude for three years.

The twenty-ninth prisoner had only one previous conviction proved against him, at the Police Court, and was sentenced to five years penal servitude for three years.

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[No. 5445.—DECEMBER 22, 1880.]

For Sale.

MacEWEN, FRICKEL & Co.
HAVE RECEIVED FOR SALE
Ex recently arrived Mail and
other Steamships."

**AMERICAN AND ENGLISH
GROCERIES,**
Fresh Supplies Received by every
Mail.

APPLES, Green and Dried.
MOLASSES, Canned and Bottled.
EASTERN CREAM CHEESE.
YE MEAL, BUCKWHEAT.
INDIAN CORN MEAL OATMEAL.
CRACKED WHEAT, HOMINY.
ASSORTED JELLIES in Glass Jars.
NUTS—BANANAS, BRAZIL,
SHREWDANE, ALMONDS,
PEANUTS, WALNUTS,
and PEASANTS.

GREEN TURTLE, 1lb. and 2lb. Cases.
RUSSIAN CAVIAR.
OX-TONGUE, Smoked and Pickled.
OYSTER CHOWDER.
EAGLE BRAND CONDENSED MILK.
BICHARDSON & ROBIN'S DEVILLED
MEATS.
ITALIAN PASTES, MACARONI and
VERMICELLI.

EASTERN HAMS and BACON.
SMOKED SALMON.

**CALIFORNIA
RACKER
COMPANY'S BISCUITS.**
Alphabetical BISCUITS.
Fruit CRACKERS.
Wafer BISCUITS.
Ginger CAKES.
Milk BISCUITS.
Oyster BISCUITS.

HORSE RADISH in Bottles.
Soused Lamb's TONGUES.
Comb HONEY in Original Frames.
Soused Pig's FEET.
Strained and Comb HONEY in Bottles.
Family Pig PORK in Kegs.
Family Mutton BEEF in Kegs.
No. 1 Boston MACKEREL in Kita.
Salmon MACKEREL in Kita.
Paragon MACKEREL in Tins.
English BROWN.

Compressed OX-TONGUE.
Compressed CORNED BEEF.
Cutting's Dessert FRUITS in 24lb Cases.

" Assort. Canned VEGETABLES.
MINCemeAT.
Sausage MEAT.
Assorted SOUPS.

Stuffed PEPPERS.
Queen's OLIVES.
Assorted PICKLES.

California CANDIES.
The American BROILER.
Waffle IRONS.
Lemon SQUEEZERS.

CROUSE & BLACKWELL'S
— and —
JOHN MOIR'S
FAMOUS HOUSEHOLD
STORES.

Wilshire BACON in Wraps.
Irish Selected BACON in 2lb & 4lb Tins.
Cumberland HAMS.
Breakfast TONGUES.
Russia OX-TONGUES.
Oxford SAUSAGES.

HAM, TONGUE, and Chicken SAUSAGE.
Truffled SAUSAGES.
Potted MATS and FISH.
Phillipe and Caucaud's PATE DE
FOIE GRAS.

Phillipe & Canada's ASPARAGUS.
Phillipe & Canada's SARDINES.
Gelatine LOZENGES.
Assorted SWETS.
GELATINE.

Mallie's French MUSTARD.
Anglo Swiss CHOCOLATE and MILK.
Anglo Swiss COCOA and MILK.
Crosse & Blackwell's CHOCOLATE.
Manson's CHOCOLATES Assorted.
Schwartz's COCOATINA.
Van Houten's COCOA.
Epp's COCOA.
OSAQUES.

Liebig's Extract CARNIS.
Smoked COD-ROES.
Dried SPRATS.
Fondon HADDOCK.
HERRINGS LA L SARDINE.
Yarmouth BLOATERS.
Kippered HERRING.
Dried HERRINGS.

SARDINES with TOMATOES.
Assorted PICKLES.
Assorted JAMS.
Calf's Foot JELLY.
Essences for Flavoring.
SAUCES.
SPICES.

Candied PEEL, ALMONDS.
CUBEBANTS in Bottle and Bulk.
RAISINS in Bottle and Bulk.
Mincemeat; Caraway SEEDS.
Ground COFFEE.
RAW COFFEE.

PRESENT TEA in 5 Gatty and 10 Gatty
Boxes; Good BREAKFAST TEA 25
cents per lb.

Hongkong, November 22, 1880.

Mails.



Insurances.

**YANGTZE INSURANCE
ASSOCIATION.**
CAPITAL (Fully Paid-up).....Tls. 420,000
PERMANENT RESERVE.....Tls. 230,000
SPECIAL RESERVE FUND.....Tls. 23,268

TOTAL CAPITAL AND ACCUMULATIONS 8th April, 1880.....Tls. 913,268

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Directors.

F. H. FORBES, Esq., Chairman.

W. M. BOYD, Esq. Wm. MEYERIN, Esq.

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LONDON BRANCH:

Messrs BARING BROTHERS & Co., Bankers.

RICHARD BLACKWELL, Esq., Agent, 68 and 69, Cornhill.

POLICIES granted on Marine Risks to all

Ships, Owners, Capital, all the Property

of Underwriting Business are ana-

lytically distributed among all Contributors

of Business in proportion to the Premium

paid by them.

RUSSELL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, October 1, 1880. d24

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE)

CAPITAL, TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

The Undersigned are prepared to grant to

Policies against the Risk of FIRE on

Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on

Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of

Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms

and Conditions.

Proposals for Life Assurances will be re-

ceived, and transmitted to the Directors

for their decision.

If required, protection will be granted on

first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single

Life.

For Rates of Premiums, forms of pro-

posals or any other information, apply to

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

Agents, Hongkong & Canton.

Hongkong, January 4, 1887.

CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE
COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE, BONGKOK.

Position of the Company at the close of the

last financial year, the 30th April, 1880.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED.....\$1,000,000.00

CAPITAL PAID-UP.....\$ 800,000.00

RESERVE FUND.....\$ 425,000.00

BALANCE UNDIVIDED.....\$ 70,278.43

DIVIDEND PAID TO SHARE-

HOLDERS.....20% per Annum.

DIVIDEND PAID TO ALL CONTRIBUTORS
OF BUSINESS, 25% on the amount of

their Contribution.

THE Company grants Policies on MARINE

Risks to all parts of the World, payable

at any of its Agents.

Contributors' Dividends are PAYABLE

TO ALL CONTRIBUTORS OF BUSINESS
WHETHER THEY ARE SHARE-

HOLDERS OR NOT.

B. GOLDSMITH,

Acting Secretary.

Hongkong, August 13, 1880.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE
INSURANCE COMPANY.

Incorporated by Royal Charter and

Special Act of Parliament.

ESTABLISHED 1800.

CAPITAL £5,000,000.

THE Undersigned, Agents at Hongkong

for the above Company, are prepared to

grant Policies against FIRE, to the

extent of £10,000 on any Building, or

Merchandise, in the same, at the

usual Rates, subject to a deduction of 20% per cent.

GILMAN & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, July 6, 1876.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

The Undersigned, Agents for the above

Company, are prepared to grant In-

surance at current rates.

MELCHERS & Co.,

Agents, Royal Insurance Company.

Hongkong, October 27, 1874.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER

of His Majesty King George The First,

A. D. 1720.

Licensed Insurers (each).

BOAT AND COOLIE RATES.

LE CEROLE—TRANSPORTS.

SOCIETE ANONYME D'ASSURANCES

MARITIMES, MARSEILLE.

CAPITAL SUBSCRIBED.....15,000,000 France.

CAPITAL PAID-UP.....\$ 7,600,000 do.

THE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents for the above Company, are

prepared to grant Policies on MARINE

RISKS to all ports of the World.

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

Hongkong, Sept. 25, 1880. 278d

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE
COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.

ESTABLISHED 1824.

GENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of

China and Japan, and at Singapore,

Bangkok and Penang.

Risks accepted, and Policies of Insurance

granted at the rates of Premiums current at

the above mentioned Ports.

NO CHARGE FOR POLICY FEE.

JAS. B. COUGHTIER,
Secretary.

Hongkong, November 1, 1871.

INSURANCES.

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BOAT AND COOLIE RATES.

SCALES OF RATES.

COAST OF CHINA.

COAST OF JAPAN.

COAST OF SOUTHERN ASIA.

COAST OF AUSTRALIA.

COAST OF SOUTH AMERICA.

COAST OF AFRICA.

COAST